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AUTHORIZING THE PRINTING FOR THE USE OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS OF ADDITIONAL COPIES OF HEARINGS HELD BY ITS SUBCOMMITTEE ON NA- TIONAL SECURITY STAFFING AND OPERATIONS

JULY 28 (legislative day, JULY 27), 1965.—Ordered to be printed

Mr. JORDAN of North Carolina, from the Committee on Rules and Administration, submitted the following

REPORT

[To accompany S. Con. Res. 11]

The Committee on Rules and Administration, to which was referred the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 11) authorizing the printing for the use of the Senate Committee on Government Operations of a compilation of hearings, staff reports, and studies of its Subcommittee on National Security Staffing and Operations, having considered the same, reports favorably thereon with amendments and recommends that the concurrent resolution as amended be agreed to.

Senate Concurrent Resolution 11 as referred would authorize the printing for the use of the Senate Committee on Government Operations of 4,000 copies each of volumes 1 and 2 of a compilation of the hearings, staff reports, and studies issued by its Subcommittee on National Security Staffing and Operations during the 87th and 88th Congresses. A list of the publications is included in Senator Henry M. Jackson's letter of January 27, 1965, reproduced below. The total estimated cost of printing 4,000 copies of such a compilation would be \$13,408.44.

At the request of the Committee on Rules and Administration, the Subcommittee on National Security Staffing and Operations has reappraised its original request and reduced its proposal to what it considers the absolute minimum to serve its purpose.

The revised proposal, which the Rules Committee has incorporated into Senate Concurrent Resolution 11 by an amendment in the nature of a substitute, is as follows:

- (1) Reduction of the quantity from 4,000 to 3,000 copies;
- (2) Elimination of the background studies, which constituted the bulk of the proposed volume 2; and
- (3) Printing one volume only, to consist of the hearings together with the brief staff studies thereon.

The title would be amended to reflect those changes.

The printing-cost estimate to accompany Senate Concurrent Resolution 11 as amended, supplied by the Public Printer, is as follows:

PRINTING-COST ESTIMATE

Back to press, 1st 1,000 copies.....	\$3, 250. 01
2,000 additional copies, at \$806.26 per thousand.....	1, 612. 52
Total estimated cost, S. Con. Res. 11 as amended.....	4, 862. 53

The letters in support of Senate Concurrent Resolution 11 addressed to Senator B. Everett Jordan, chairman of the Committee on Rules and Administration, by Senator Henry M. Jackson, chairman of the Subcommittee on National Security Staffing and Operations, are as follows:

U.S. SENATE,
COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS,
SUBCOMMITTEE ON NATIONAL SECURITY
STAFFING AND OPERATIONS,
January 27, 1965.

HON. B. EVERETT JORDAN,
*Chairman, Committee on Rules and Administration,
U.S. Senate, Washington, D.C.*

MY DEAR MR. CHAIRMAN: On January 26, 1965, the Committee on Government Operations unanimously reported to the Senate, Senate Concurrent Resolution 11, authorizing the printing of 4,000 copies of a two-volume compilation of the hearings, staff reports, and studies of the Subcommittee on National Security Staffing and Operations for the use of that committee.

As you know, in the 88th Congress the subcommittee conducted a major study on the administration of national security in Washington and in the field and has issued findings and proposals for improvement.

The hearings, reports, and committee prints of the subcommittee have aroused great interest among the responsible Government officials and in the academic community; our national and service war colleges, the Foreign Service Institute, Civil Service Commission training institutes, and other executive branch training programs have use for these materials; university courses throughout the country, citizen study groups, individual scholars, and libraries are relying on the product of this study.

The demand for a permanent, compiled, authoritative record of these papers is very considerable.

The publications to be included in the compilation and their arrangement into volumes are as follows:

Volume I—Administration of national security: Hearings, parts 1 to 9 (600 pages).

Volume II—Administration of national security: Staff reports and background studies:

	<i>Pages</i>
Basic Issues.....	26
The Secretary of State.....	22
The American Ambassador.....	22
A Bibliography.....	96
Selected Papers.....	210
The Ambassador and the Problem of Coordination (S. Doc. 36).....	166
Staffing Procedures and Problems in the Soviet Union.....	68
Staffing Procedures and Problems in Communist China.....	56

The Government Printing Office has indicated that the cost of this resolution will be \$13,408.44. In view of the critical and continuing importance of national security operations and the widespread need expressed for our materials, I believe this expenditure is wholly justified.

I shall be available to give the committee any further information desired.

Thank you for your cooperation. With kind regards.

Sincerely yours,

HENRY M. JACKSON,
U.S. Senator, Chairman.

U.S. SENATE,
COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS,
SUBCOMMITTEE ON NATIONAL SECURITY
STAFFING AND OPERATIONS,
July 15, 1965.

Hon. B. EVERETT JORDAN,
*Chairman, Committee on Rules and Administration,
U.S. Senate, Washington, D.C.*

DEAR EVERETT: This is a followup to my telephone conversation with you yesterday in connection with Senate Concurrent Resolution 11.

After consulting with subcommittee members and the staff, I am writing to say that we feel we can reduce our request for the printing of papers of the subcommittee study on "Administration of National Security" by the elimination of the background studies and by reducing the quantity from 4,000 to 3,000, thus reducing the cost of the printing by more than one-half.

I do strongly urge, however, that our request be granted for the printing of the subcommittee hearings and findings (staff reports), which are essential to our present and future work.

Sincerely yours,

HENRY M. JACKSON, *Chairman.*

